

Prayer Requests:

Our Nation and Our World
Our Church Family
Your "One" Person

Home

Jim Robbins	Richard Mohler
Nell Brooks	Anne Roberts
Madison Brown	Donna Feimster

Related to Our Church Family

Billy Ruppe, father of Terri Mitchell
LoAnn Taylor, sister in law of Vicki Ledbetter
Freda M. Silvers, niece of Bub Hill
Mack and Nancy Conner, brother and sister in law of Billy Conner

Others:

John Ruppe	Larry Yelton	Marshall Dill
Tommy Kimbrell	Colton Suttle	Jean Bass
C.B. Greene	Mike Snellgrove	

Unspoken:

Homebound Member of the Week:

Nora Greene
Brookdale Assisted Living
Apt 212
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Forest City, NC 28043

Mission Focus of the Week:

Eric & Julie Maroney
Serving in Croatia

College Student of the Week

Austin Alexander
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Spencer Baptist Church
Sunday, Nov. 29, 2020
The 1st Sunday of Advent



Thank you to all who prepared, cooked, served, cleaned up, and made desserts for our LoveFeast. Through your generosity, over \$2,000.00 was raised for the North Carolina Baptist Children's Homes.



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This service is being broadcast over WCAB 590 AM and 100.9 FM and on Facebook LIVE. It will be rebroadcast on the Spencer YouTube channel by Monday.

Welcome and Announcements Bruce Caldwell

Sharing of Opportunities for Fellowship and Growth

Prelude Jay Seagrave

The Lighting of the First Advent Candle - Hope

Today we begin our celebration of Advent. On these four Sundays leading up to Christmas, we will rejoice in the great gift that is ours in Jesus Christ. To help us celebrate, we will be lighting the candles of the Advent wreath. The candles signify that Jesus is the Light of the World. He is hope revealed! The evergreens remind us that He is life and brings life to us. All these are arranged in a circle because life in Christ has no end. Each Sunday we will light an additional candle. Then on Christmas Eve, we will light all the candles, including the center one, the Christ candle. As we do, we will rejoice that Christ has come to us. He is Immanuel...God with us, our past, present, and future hope.

Meditation **O Come, O Come, Emmanuel** Kelly Settlemeyre

Hymn 77 **Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus** Congregation

Children's Sermon **Fear** Colby Fagan

Mission Moment – Eric & Julie Maroney

Hymn **Cornerstone** Congregation

Sharing of Prayer Concerns Steve Koon
Prayer

Offertory Meditation Jay Seagrave
Since we are not currently passing an offering plate, please place your tithes and offerings in the plates at the front or the back of the sanctuary. You may go to our website (www.spencerbaptist.com) to give your tithes and offerings online.

Message **The Line Gives Hope** Bruce Caldwell
Isaiah 52:13- 53:12

Hymn 499 **Open Our Eyes, Lord** Congregation

Benediction Bruce Caldwell

Postlude Jay Seagrave



Please practice social distancing by sitting in the marked pews. You may pick up a bulletin, mask, kid's worship packet, etc. from the tables in the vestibule.



We are continuing our combined LifeGroups each Sunday Morning from 10:00 – 10:40. The literature for The Gospel Project, Dec. – Feb. is now available. Books can be purchased in the church office, or in class on any Sunday. **Adults** meet in the FLC, **Youth** in the Youth Building, and **Children** on the 1st floor of the education building.

December 6th - Adult teacher is Rick Ledbetter

We ask that you observe social distancing protocols, including wearing masks when you are not socially distanced. Let's keep each other safe while continuing to study God's Word.



Missions Post Office

The Missions Post Office will open next Sunday. Send a card to someone within the Spencer Church family for only 10 cents per card! We will not be able to mail cards to people outside of the church. The money raised will be used to help others in our local community.



Reminders:

- **Curb Side Meal** – Reserve your meals for Wed., Dec. 2; Pickup will now be available starting at 5:30 PM
- **Wednesday Night Live** at 7 PM every Wednesday on Facebook Live
- **Yokefellow Donations** for the month – Peanut Butter